

bill (H.R. 7617) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021, by a yea-and-nay vote of 229 yeas to 182 nays, Roll No. 169, after the previous question was ordered by a yea-and-nay vote of 230 yeas to 181 nays, Roll No. 168.

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Decorum Statement: The Chair announced that pursuant to clause 2 of rule I, during the pendency of a covered period pursuant to H. Res. 965, Members and staff will be required to wear masks at all times in the Hall of the House, except that Members may remove their masks temporarily when recognized and that Members and staff will not be permitted to enter the Hall of the House without wearing a mask. Masks will be available at entry points for any Member who forgets to bring one. The Chair also reaffirmed that the Speaker has the authority to direct the Sergeant-at-Arms to remove a Member from the floor as a matter of decorum and the Chair views the failure to wear a mask as a serious breach of decorum.

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Recess: The House recessed at 6:05 p.m. and reconvened at 6:13 p.m.

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Child Care Is Essential Act: The House passed H.R. 7027, making additional supplemental appropriations for disaster relief requirements for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, by a yea-and-nay vote of 249 yeas to 163 nays, Roll No. 171.

Pages H3897–H3908, H3965–66

Rejected the Rodgers (WA) motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with an amendment, by a yea-and-nay vote of 195 yeas to 212 nays, Roll No. 170.

Pages H3907–08, H3964–65

Pursuant to the Rule, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 116–58 shall be considered as adopted.

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H. Res. 1053, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 6395), (H.R. 7027), (H.R. 7327) and the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 1957) was agreed to Monday, July 20th.

Child Care for Economic Recovery Act: The House passed H.R. 7327, making additional supplemental appropriations for disaster relief requirements for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, by a yea-and-nay vote of 250 yeas to 161 nays, Roll No. 172.

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H. Res. 1053, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 6395), (H.R. 7027), (H.R. 7327) and the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 1957) was agreed to Monday, July 20th.

Supporting the designation of August 2020 as National Women's Suffrage Month: The House agreed to discharge from committee and agree to H. Res. 1046, supporting the designation of August 2020 as National Women's Suffrage Month.

Pages H3966–67

Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he notified Congress that the national emergency declared in Executive Order 13441 with respect to Lebanon is to continue in effect beyond August 1, 2020—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 116–141).

Pages H3967–68

Senate Referral: S. 881 was held at the desk.

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Senate Message: Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H3890.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Five yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H3962–63, H3963–64, H3964–65, H3965–66, and H3966.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 9:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

THE MILITARY'S #METOO MOMENT: AN EXAMINATION OF SEXUAL HARASSMENT AND PERCEIVED RETALIATION IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND AT FORT HOOD

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel held a hearing entitled “The Military’s #MeToo Moment: An Examination of Sexual Harassment and Perceived Retaliation in the Department of Defense and at Fort Hood”. Testimony was heard from Nate Galbreath, Deputy Director, Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Office, Department of Defense; Colonel Patrick Wempe, Command Inspector General, U.S. Army Forces Command; and public witnesses.

IMPROVING ACCESS TO CARE: LEGISLATION TO REAUTHORIZE KEY PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “Improving Access to Care: Legislation to Reauthorize Key Public Health Programs”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 7682, the “Sudan Democratic

Transition, Accountability, and Fiscal Transparency Act of 2020"; H.R. 7276, the "East Africa Locust Eradication Act"; H.R. 6334, the "Securing America From Epidemics Act"; H.R. 5517, the "Gandhi-King Scholarly Exchange Initiative Act"; H.R. 5586, the "Haiti Development, Accountability, and Institutional Transparency Initiative Act"; H. Res. 1062, affirming the nature and importance of the United States-Iraq bilateral relationship, including security and economic components of the relationship; H.R. 3331, the "Countering Hizballah in Lebanon's Military Act of 2019"; H.R. 7703, the "Caribbean Basin Security Initiative Authorization Act"; H. Res. 1033, condemning acts by the People's Republic of China and the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region that violate fundamental rights and freedoms of Hong Kong residents as well as acts that undermine Hong Kong's high degree of autonomy; and H.R. 7805, the "Stop Predatory Organ Trafficking Act of 2020". H.R. 7276, H.R. 5517, H.R. 5586, H. Res. 1062, H.R. 3331, H. Res. 1033, and H.R. 7805 were ordered reported, as amended. H.R. 7682, H.R. 6334, and H.R. 7703 were ordered reported, without amendment.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship held a business meeting on Request for a Department of Homeland Security Departmental Report on the Beneficiaries of H.R. 7572. Request for a Department of Homeland Security Departmental Report on the Beneficiaries of H.R. 7572 was approved.

OVERSIGHT OF U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship held a hearing entitled "Oversight of U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services". Testimony was heard from Joseph Edlow, Deputy Director of Policy, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security; and public witnesses.

ONLINE PLATFORMS AND MARKET POWER, PART 6: EXAMINING THE DOMINANCE OF AMAZON, APPLE, FACEBOOK, AND GOOGLE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Commercial, and Administrative Law held a hearing entitled "Online Platforms and Market Power, Part 6: Examining the Dominance of Amazon, Apple, Facebook, and Google". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Natural Resources: Full Committee held a markup on S. 294, the "Native American Business Incubators Program Act"; H.R. 1031, the "Pala Band of Mission Indians Land Transfer Act of 2019"; H.R. 1267, the "B-47 Ridge Designation Act"; H.R. 3682, the "Land Grant and Acequia Traditional Use Recognition and Consultation Act"; H.R. 3879, the "SOAR Act"; H.R. 4299, the "Data Preservation Act of 2019"; H.R. 5040, the "Aerial Incursion Repercussion Safety Act of 2019"; H.R. 6237, the "Proper and Reimbursed Care for Native Veterans Act"; H.R. 6535, to deem an urban Indian organization and employees thereof to be a part of the Public Health Service for the purposes of certain claims for personal injury, and for other purposes; H.R. 6636, the "National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Sexual Harassment and Assault Prevention Improvements Act of 2020"; H.R. 7045, to require the Secretary of Agriculture to conduct a study on lands that could be included in a National Forest in Hawai'i, and for other purposes; H.R. 7119, the "Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium Land Transfer Act of 2020"; and H.R. 7489, the "Long Bridge Act of 2020". S. 294, H.R. 1267, H.R. 6237, H.R. 6535, H.R. 7045, and H.R. 7489 were ordered reported, without amendment. H.R. 1031, H.R. 3682, H.R. 3879, H.R. 4299, H.R. 5040, H.R. 7119, and H.R. 6636 were ordered reported, as amended.

COUNTING EVERY PERSON: SAFEGUARDING THE 2020 CENSUS AGAINST THE TRUMP ADMINISTRATION'S UNCONSTITUTIONAL ATTACKS

Committee on Oversight and Reform: Full Committee held a hearing entitled "Counting Every Person: Safeguarding the 2020 Census Against the Trump Administration's Unconstitutional Attacks". Testimony was heard from Steven Dillingham, Director, U.S. Census Bureau, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

WHO'S IN CHARGE? EXAMINING OVERSIGHT OF STATE VETERANS HOMES DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled "Who's in Charge? Examining Oversight of State Veterans Homes During the COVID-19 Pandemic". Testimony was heard from Sharon Silas, Director, Health Care, Government Accountability Office; Teresa Boyd, Assistant Under Secretary for Health for Clinical Services, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

BUSINESS MEETING

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Full Committee held a business meeting on Authorizing Member Access Requests to review classified documents. Member Access Requests to review classified documents were approved. Part of this meeting was closed.

Joint Meetings**HUMAN RIGHTS AT HOME**

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: Commission concluded a hearing to examine human rights at home, focusing on values made visible, after receiving testimony from Kevin Gover, Acting Under Secretary for Museums and Culture, Smithsonian Institution; Lamberto Zannier, former OSCE Secretary General and High Commissioner on National Minorities, Hague, Netherlands; H.R. H. Maria-Esmerelda of Belgium, Brussels; and Wes Belamy, Charlottesville, Virginia.

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY,
JULY 30, 2020**

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Anthony J. Tata, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: business meeting to consider the nominations of Hester Maria Peirce, of Ohio, and Caroline A. Crenshaw, of the District of Columbia, both to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, and Kyle Hauptman, of Maine, to be a Member of the National Credit Union Administration Board, 2 p.m., SD-106.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Security, to hold hearings to examine the China challenge, focusing on realignment of United States economic policies to build resiliency and competitiveness, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Finance: to hold hearings to examine protecting the reliability of the United States medical supply chain during the COVID-19 pandemic, 9:30 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2021 for the Department of State, 8:30 a.m., SD-106.

Full Committee, business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 8:30 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider S. 4212, to amend title 28, United States Code, to strip foreign sovereign immunity of certain foreign states to secure justice for victims of novel coronavirus in the United States, and the nominations of David W. Dugan, and Stephen P. McGlynn, both to be a United States District Judge for the Southern District of Illinois, Hala Y. Jarbou, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Michigan, Iain D. Johnston, and Franklin Ulyses Valderrama, both to be a United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, and Roderick C. Young, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia, 10 a.m., SD-325.

House

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Intelligence and Emerging Threats and Capabilities, hearing entitled "Review of the Recommendations of the Cyberspace Solarium Commission", 1 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Financial Services, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Protecting Consumers During the Pandemic? An Examination of the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau", 12:30 p.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights, and International Organizations, hearing entitled "Update on the COVID-19 Pandemic Response in Africa", 1 p.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 5245, the "SHIELD for Veterans Act"; H.R. 5639, the "Chuck Osier Burial Benefits Act"; H.R. 4908, the "Native American PACT Act"; H.R. 2791, the "Department of Veterans Affairs Tribal Advisory Committee Act of 2019"; H.R. 3010, the "Honoring All Veterans Act"; H.R. 6589, the "CFO Authority and Collaboration Act of 2020"; H.R. 4526, the "Brian Tally VA Employment Transparency Act"; H.R. 5487, the "Veterans Cemetery Grants Improvement Act"; H.R. 7111, the "Veterans Economic Recovery Act of 2020"; H.R. 3228, the "VA Mission Telehealth Clarification Act"; H.R. 7445, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand eligibility for home loans from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to certain members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces; and H.R. 7795, the "Veterans Benefits Fairness and Transparency Act", 10 a.m., HVC-210 and Webex.

Joint Meetings

Joint Economic Committee: to hold hearings to examine reducing uncertainty and restoring confidence during the Coronavirus recession, 3 p.m., VTC.